

We Are Progressing

There is an old proverb that a wise man changes his mind, but a fool never does. The wise man has to change his mind to keep up with the times.

Your grandfather thought he was putting on style when he took his best girl out horseback riding. The young man today would like to have a six-cylinder car for his lady love. The smart men of today will be considered "old fogies" by the next generation. We are progressing, changing, keeping step with the times, that's all. Especially in this time of financial matters, modern banking. Few people keep their money hid about the house or run the risk of carrying it on their person. They follow the modern plan, keep their funds in a reliable bank like ours and pay by check. It's the safe, modern, convenient way.

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Town and County News

J. T. Hester spent last Tuesday in Lavinia.

Mrs. B. W. Sweatt spent a day in Huntingdon last week.

A beautiful line of Laces at 5c per yard at Ross Bros. & Co.

P. D. Humphreys, of Paris, was a Sunday visitor in Huntingdon.

A. W. Dodson is attending to some business at Paris Landing.

D. T. Barnhill and family visited relatives in Lavinia last Tuesday.

See our window for suggestions in Graduation Gifts.—Huntingdon Jewelry Co.

Mrs. W. H. Carter has returned from a ten days' visit with relatives in Nashville.

Ernest Hawkins, Jr., of New Albany, Miss., spent last Friday with home folks.

Joe Hall came down from Nashville and spent Sunday with his brother, A. E. Hall.

Russell Townes, of Memphis, spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Alice Townes.

Mr. W. T. Kee, of Greenville, Miss., spent a portion of this week with friends in Huntingdon.

See our stock of Graduation Gifts. The very latest creations.—Huntingdon Jewelry Co.

Miss Bessie Owen, of the Seventh district, spent Wednesday with friends in Huntingdon.

Mrs. M. R. Kyle and Misses Aileen and Jewel Kyle are visiting relatives and friends at Beams.

Joe Murray spent a few days with home folks the latter part of last week and the first of this week.

Mrs. J. C. Sanders and children, of Westport, visited Mrs. G. W. Parish the latter part of last week.

J. R. Johnson spent last Wednesday with his brother, John Johnson, in the Twentieth district.

Mrs. Jim Haddock, of Martin, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. L. B. White, of the Hico community.

Mrs. J. L. Richards and Leo Strubling spent Sunday in Trezevant with the family of Dr. J. G. Holmes.

Excellent line of Graduation Gifts. Prices the lowest for dependable merchandise.—Huntingdon Jewelry Co.

Geo. W. Parish, cashier of the Farmers State Bank, attended the State Bankers' Association in Chattanooga this week.

R. F. Dilday spent Wednesday and Thursday in Nashville, attending a meeting of the State Undertakers' Association.

News was received here this week of the serious illness of Mrs. J. B. Grooms, of Canisla, Ark. She is the daughter of Morgan Carter, who lives a short distance north of town.

Good quality Lawns and Voiles at 10c per yard, and a large assortment from which to make selections at Ross Bros. & Co.

Miss Bessie Williams, after visiting home folks at McMoresville for a couple of weeks, is back at her work in the court house.

Big saving by buying shoes now. We have one of the largest stocks of shoes that's in the city, and our prices are right.—Ross Bros. & Co.

FOR SALE—Good horse and buggy. Horse is young and excellent for family use. See me and get a bargain.—P. W. Maddox.

Morgan & Hickman, the new liverymen, have added an auto to their equipment, which will be for hire at reasonable rates, at all times.

The addition of a new auto by Morgan & Hickman to their livery business, will add to the efficiency of their service. It is for hire at all times.

Mrs. Pat McCall, of Lexington, visited her sister, Mrs. S. J. Hilliard, last week. Mrs. Hilliard was sick at this time, but is improving now.

"Uncle" Jimmie Lusk, of the First district, is reported to be quite sick with pneumonia. The first of the week his people were very anxious about him.

Miss Lillian Gardner, of McMoresville, was in Huntingdon the first of the week en route to Tullahoma, where she goes to take a course in stenography.

Mr. Albert Perry and niece, Mrs. Ada Carlton and Mrs. H. E. Butler and daughter, Ruth, motored over from Jackson and spent Sunday with Huntingdon friends.

W. J. Holman, wife and son, Jack, and Mrs. W. A. Frazier and daughters, Misses Irma and Connie, motored over from Paris Sunday and spent a short while here.

Mrs. P. D. Harper and three children, after spending a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hubbard, returned last week to her home in Farmer City, Illinois.

The Tennessee Press Association will hold its 1917 meeting at Jackson Thursday and Friday, June 14 and 15. A fine program is being prepared and a splendid meeting is anticipated.

Miss Kathleen Blair, of Paragould, Ark., who spent several weeks in Huntingdon, the guest of Miss Dorothy Hilliard, left last Thursday to visit in Martin and Alabama.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Peeler and little daughter, Elizabeth, returned Monday from a week-end visit with Mrs. Peeler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hastings, at Big Sandy.

The W.C.T.U. met last week with Miss Nellie Evans. Mrs. C. C. Hines made a fine talk and several readings were given. The next meeting will be with Mrs. C. C. Hines.

We had a letter this week from our former citizen and good friend, Syd Williams, who is connected with the Porter-Benson Mercantile Company, Campbell, Mo. He renewed his subscription to the Democrat and assured us that he did not think they could get along without the paper. They are doing well. He expressed a desire to visit Tennessee some time and see their old friends here.

Miss Irbie Newbill, of Trezevant, has returned to her home, after spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. G. J. Wilder.

An all-day service will be held at Shiloh next Sunday. Preaching at 11 o'clock by Rev. McCoy, and singing in the afternoon, led by Prof. C. H. Presson. Everybody invited to attend and bring well-filled dinner baskets and also to have their song books to help with the song service.

The closing exercises of the I. T. S. will begin tonight and will be in progress for one week. There will be something doing every night, closing with next Friday night. The commencement sermon will be delivered next Sunday in the I.T.S. auditorium. The public is invited to attend all the exercises.

News was received here Monday of the death of Henry Jones, who lived near the Carroll and Benton county line. The death occurred Sunday and the burial Monday. Funeral services were held by Rev. Joe Joyner and the remains were laid to rest in the Flowers graveyard. We failed to learn further particulars.

Mrs. Pete Woods, of Buena Vista, was reported the first of the week as being quite sick. She is suffering from gall stones and was in a very critical condition Sunday night. Two doctors were with her Sunday night and it was several hours before relief came. It is believed that she will have to be operated on before permanent relief comes.

A. G. King and daughter, Mrs. Brewer, of Buena Vista, were in town shopping last Monday. Mr. King, who has taken the Democrat since the paper first started, twenty-eight years ago, renewed his subscription for another year. It is such friends as Mr. King that has enabled us to keep the Democrat forging to the front as one of the best county papers in this part of the state.

J. Wesley Williams, of Huntingdon, and Sam C. Williams, of the Nineteenth district, left last Tuesday morning for Vernon, Tex., where they go on account of Mr. Sam Williams' health. Mr. Williams is suffering with a severe attack of asthma, and it is hoped a change of climate will give him relief. They will also visit relatives in Vernon and other Texas points.

Rev. Geo. L. Price returned from Memphis last Monday evening. Mrs. Price was operated on the latter part of last week and a number of gall stones were taken from her. She was also operated on for appendicitis. She was doing well when Bro. Price left her, and news received from her since his return has been very favorable. It is thought she will be able to return home in two or three weeks.

Geo. T. McCall, Jr., Joe R. Murphy and Joe W. McCall, Jr., have been accepted to the training camp at Oglethorpe, Ga., and are now in training for service. Gordon Browning and John Barrow, with hundreds of other young men, were rejected on account of being too late with their applications. They may be called later upon the organization of another camp.

H. B. Shockley spent three days in Nashville this week. While there he went out to Belle Meade, where the soldier boys are located. He saw John Hughes, who is a member of Company B, First Tennessee. John holds the position of corporal and is getting along nicely. He joined the First Tennessee about ten months ago, going from Huntingdon, where he had been in school for three or more years. John is a fine fellow and has many friends here who will be glad to know that he is doing well in the country's service.

Axe Handle Factory

Leach is to have an axe handle factory. The Kelly Axe Handle Co., of Memphis, is locating a plant in the Leach community. The factory will be operated by A. H. Karney, of Huntingdon. The machinery, which came from some point in Arkansas, was carried out Monday and Mr. Karney hopes to have the plant in operation soon. Mr. Karney is an experienced man and he has already quite a lot of timber suitable for making axe handles pledged by the farmers of the community in which the plant is located. John W. Blair has a position with Mr. Karney and assisted in getting the timber pledged.

Shelled corn for sale.—J. C. Wilder & Son.

Mrs. Fields Buried

The burial of Mrs. Sarah Fields, wife of J. L. Fields, an account of whose death appeared in the Democrat last week, occurred May 10, at the Barren Springs graveyard, after appropriate funeral and burial services conducted by Rev. Reub. of McKenzie. Mrs. Fields was 64 years old and for 49 years was an active member of the Cumberland Presbyterian church. She was a most excellent christian woman and highly esteemed in her community. She is survived by her husband and one son, J. N. Fields. The bereaved have the sympathy of many friends.

Notice to School Patrons

At a recent meeting of the County Board of Education it was agreed to have summer schools at places where the majority of the patrons desire it, and you are requested to make your preference known to the Advisory School Boards of your respective districts and they in turn will recommend to the County Board just what you want.

Just a word of advice—if you do not get just what you preferred, do not be contentious and hinder the progress of the school work in your community, but always be willing to co-operate with the majority.

The summer term of school will begin on the 30th day of July and run not more than two months. Please give cheerful, co-operative heed to the suggestions of this notice. Respectfully,
D. T. BARNHILL.

Mother's Day

Mother's Day was observed at the Presbyterian church last Sunday at 11 o'clock. The red and white flowers were in evidence, being worn in memory of mother. A beautiful program of tribute to living mothers and reverence for those who are dead was carried out. The pastor, Rev. C. C. Hines, preached a splendid sermon on the subject, making many tender allusions to the day during the course of his remarks. A splendid musical program was an interesting feature. A large crowd attended the services.

Perry—Noell

Last Sunday's Commercial Appeal contained the following announcement of interest to our readers in Huntingdon, where the groom was reared and is well and favorably known:

"Mr. and Mrs. Scott Miller announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their niece, Evelyn Perry, to Mr. Milburn K. Noell, the wedding to take place at an early date."

The marriage will occur Saturday night, and after a week's bridal trip, they will be in Huntingdon, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Noell, the groom's parents.

Gold Medals

The last night of the closing exercises of the Trezevant school was graduating night and gold medals were awarded as follows:

Blanks oratorical contest, James Elmer Green; Morris oratorical contest, Hattie Mai Adams; best scholarship contest, John Garrett Smith; highest average standing contest, Rosa Hillsman; highest average contest, seventh and eighth grades, Pauline White.

Diplomas were presented the graduates by Prof. M. T. Royster as follows: John Garrett Smith, James Elmer Green, John Quinn, John Edward Hillsman. Misses Corine McAuley, Audrie Jones, Nellie Mai Abbott and Elinor Hillsman.

The term has been very successful and the educational board has re-elected Prof. Edwards as superintendent of the high school for another term.

Timber Wanted

We are still in the market for all the hickory timber we can get, and we will continue to buy all summer, if you have any timber to sell us. We are making more fuss and raising more dust than anybody in town, and saying the least about it.
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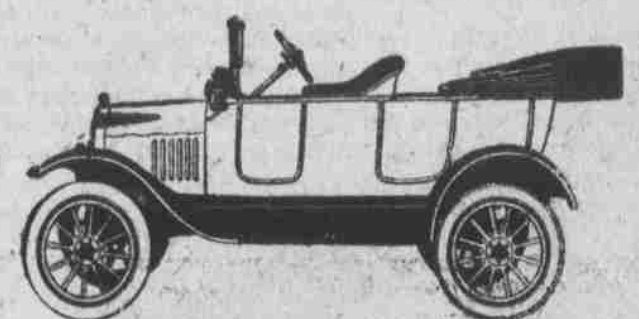
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